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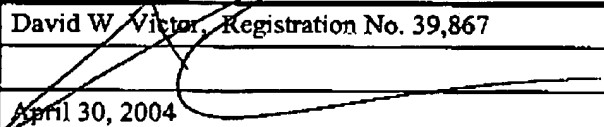
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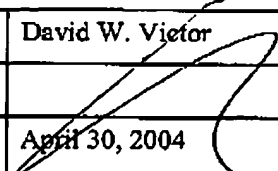
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REMARKS

In response to the restriction requirement under 35 U.S.C. § 121 set forth in the April 17, 2002 Office Action, applicant respectfully traverses the restriction requirement, but, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.143, elects for continued prosecution of the claims of Group I (claims 1-6, 9-11, and 14-16).

An action on the merits is respectfully requested. Applicants submit that no additional fees are needed. Nonetheless, should any additional fees be required, please charge Deposit Account No. 09-0447.